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ZymoGenetics, Inc. 1201 Eastlake Avenue East Seattle, WA 98102

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed and dated by Applicants for the above-captioned application. This submission is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated December 28, 2001 (a copy thereof is attached hereto) and is being filed within two months of the date of the letter.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$65.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted

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